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Applicant's Request for Continuation Examination (RCE) filed November 28, 2005 is entered and, therefore, the abandonment dated October 13, 2005 is withdrawn because of the pre-mature abandonment. The examiner apologizes for the pre-mature abandonment.



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